

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Joseph R. McCrorey

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Joseph R. McCrorey
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: South Carolina 1969 BA, 1973 JD
Began Service: October 1, 1991
Term Expires: October 1, 2007

Government: Deputy Solicitor, 16th Judicial Circuit (1978-1983); Assistant United States Attorney, District of South Carolina, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1983-1989)

Legal Practice: Partner, Gill & McCrorey (1973-1978); Associate, Kennedy, Covington, Lobdell & Hickman (1989-1991)

Military Service: United States Army Reserve (1969-1975)

Staff

Law Clerk **Kelly L. O'Brien** (803) 765-5512
Education: Duke 1986 BA; South Carolina 1993 JD
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Chambers of Magistrate Judge Bristow Marchant

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Bristow Marchant
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1955
Education: Charleston 1977 BA;
South Carolina 1980 JD
Began Service: September 1, 1992
Term Expires: August 31, 2008

Government: Staff Counsel, Committee on the Judiciary, United States Senate (1980-1982); Attorney, Civil Division, Office of Attorney General, State of South Carolina (1982-1983); Assistant Chief Counsel, Department of Highways and Public Transportation, State of South Carolina (1983)

Legal Practice: Partner, Adams, Quackenbush, Herring & Stuart, PA (1983-1992)

Current Memberships: Judicial Conference of the Fourth Circuit; Richland County Bar Association; South Carolina Bar Association

Staff

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George C. Kosko
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: September 2000

Staff

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Bruce H. Hendricks
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: October 3, 1957
Education: Col Charleston 1983 BA; South Carolina 1990 JD
Began Service: May 6, 2002

Government: Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of South Carolina, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1991-2002)

Staff

Law Clerk **Joe Brewer** (864) 239-5710
Education: South Carolina JD
Law Clerk **Valerie McDonald** (803) 765-5816
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Thomas E. Rogers III
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: February 8, 1965
Education: Citadel 1987 BS;
South Carolina 1992 JD
Began Service: May 8, 2002
Term Expires: May 9, 2010

Clerkships: Law Clerk, Resident Judge John H. Waller, Jr., South Carolina Circuit Court, 12th Judicial District (1992-1993); Law Clerk, District Judge C. Weston Houck, United States District Court for the District of South Carolina (1993-1995)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1995-2002)

Staff

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Robert L. Buchanan, Jr.
Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Date of Birth: 1951
Education: Erskine 1973 AB; South Carolina 1976 JD
Began Service: April 1, 1979
Political Affiliation: Independent

Current Memberships: Aiken County Bar Association; American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Association of Trial Lawyers of America; South Carolina Bar; South Carolina Trial Lawyers Association

Staff

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Number of Judgeships: 3

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John E. Waites

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Began Service: June 1994
Term Expires: June 2008

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Helen Elizabeth Burris

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Helen Elizabeth Burris

Bankruptcy Judge

Began Service: March 2006
Term Expires: March 2020

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge David R. Duncan

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David R. Duncan

Bankruptcy Judge

Began Service: May 2006
Appointed By: President George W. Bush
Term Expires: May 2020

Government: Regional Assistant U.S. Trustee, Region 4, Executive Office for United States Trustees, United States Department of Justice

United States District Court for the District of South Dakota

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Number of Judgeships: 3

Court Staff

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Karen Elizabeth Schreier
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1956
Education: St Louis U 1978 BA, 1981 JD
Began Service: August 13, 1999
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Francis G. Dunn, South Dakota Supreme Court (1981-1982)

Government: United States Attorney, District of South Dakota, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1993-1999)

Legal Practice: Associate and Partner, Hagen, Wilka, Schreier & Archer, PC (1982-1993)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Pennington County Bar Association; South Dakota Bar Association

Staff

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Law Clerk **Andrew Sveen** (605) 343-3744
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Chambers of District Judge Lawrence L. Piersol

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Lawrence L. Piersol
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: South Dakota 1962 BA, 1965 JD
Began Service: December 11, 1993
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Affiliation: Member (D), Chambers of Member Lawrence L. Piersol, Judicial Conference of the United States

Government: State Representative (SD), South Dakota House of Representatives (1971-1975); Chairperson, South Dakota Executive Reorganization Commission (1972-1975); Board Member, Department of Environmental Protection (1975-1978)

Judicial: Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of South Dakota

Legal Practice: Davenport, Evans, Hurwitz & Smith (1968-1993)

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